DEVICE SAFETY ACT OF NORTH CAROLINA, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees and permanent subcommittees are presented:

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

H.B. 1011, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES TO A PREVAILING TAXPAYER IN AN ADMINISTRATIVE APPEAL OR A LAWSUIT IF THE STATE WAS NOT SUBSTANTIALLY JUSTIFIED IN MAINTAINING ITS POSITION AGAINST THE TAXPAYER, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Allred and Coates, Chairs, for the Committee on Transportation:

H.B. 439, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS RELATING TO THE OPENING OF CARTWAYS, reported without prejudice as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and with recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Munford, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary IV:

H.B. 883 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO TEMPORARILY WAIVE CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS OF THE MENTAL HEALTH COMMITMENT STATUTES TO FURTHER

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